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BOXING COMMISSION WILL ADOPT RIGID SYSTEM New York Rules and Regulations Will

be Reduced to 30. for boxing bouts and a more rigid

is is deemed best to deal with each case on its merits.

The rule prohibiting betting probably will be dropped because gambling is contrary to the state law. Special attention will be given of the prevention of delays in staging bouts. A large number of inspectors will be appointed throughout the state to serve without pay.

DARTMOUTH 1916 GRIDIRON SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED

Sesson Opens Sept. 23.

Hanover, N. H., Jan : 19.—Dartmouth's football schedule for next fall, announced tonight, shows that Tufts, Vermont and Amherst, which have formerly figured as opponents of the Green, have been dropped, while New Hampshire State, Lebanon Valley College, Boston College, Georgetown University and West Virginia University have bee nadded to the list. The schedule: Sept. 23, New Hampshire State at Hanover; 20, New Hampshire State at Hanover; 23, Boston College at Hanover; Oct. 7, Lebanon Valley College at Hanover; 14, Massachusetts Agricultural College at Hanover; 21, Georgetown Universi-

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ANNOUNCEMENT

The office of Miss Farnham, hair and scalp specialist, in Room 304, Thayer Building, is now open, Miss Farnham having returned this week after a long and severe illness.

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BALTIC DEFEATS WESTERLY FIVE

Rhode Island Players Proved Easy-Score 41 to 10-Baltic Forwards Scored 32 Goals-Willimantic Y. M. C. A

Baltic with ease gave the Westerly MORAN LUCKY TO GET asketball team a good trimming of the second second trimming of the second trimming score of 41 to 10. The Rhode Island quintette were outclassed in all departments and their guards were unable to hold in cheek Baltic's crack forwards who scored 32 points, Higgins 17 and Barnett 15. Baltic had clear salling from the start and kept pling up points until the end.

Dean and Burdick did the heavy work for Westerly, the former shooting four goals and the latter 5. The lineup;

WILLIMANTIC Y. M. C. A. FIVE WINS ROUGH GAME

hread City Cyclers Outclassed-Score 40 to 31.

(Special to The Bulletin.)

Willimantic, Jan. 19.—The basketball game between the Thread City Cyclers and the Y. M. C. A. team at the gymnasium of the latter organization was won by the Y. M. C. A. to the gymnasium of the latter organization was won by the Y. M. C. A. to the gymnasium of the latter organization was won by the Y. M. C. A. to the gymnasium of the latter organization was won by the Y. M. C. A. New York, Jan. 18.—The first round of the professional racquet tournament was completed today. William Newman of New York defeated W. S. to the winners with 8. The game was somewhat rough in the second half and Lewis was disqualified, Lamouraux taking his place. The summary:

T. C. C. Y. M. C. A. Crane, Thompson, Stevens, Comins Forwards.

MARKET WAS FEVERISH.

Series of Advances and Decline

in Some of the Specialties.

BOUT WITH WILLARD lays Tom Jones and That Rickard and McCracken Are Out of Running for Bout.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 19.—Tom Jones, manager of Jeis Willard, heavyweight bexing champion, returning here tonight with Willard from Excelsior Springs, Mo., where he and the fighter had been resting, said that Tex Rickard and Bamuel McCracken were out of the running for the ten round bout between Willard and Frank Moran.

"They had their opportunity to get the match and refused to meet our figures," added Jones. "Tre signed with Jack Curley and that ends the matter. Moran's signing does not make a bit of difference to us. He is lucky to get a fight with Willard and Willard does not care whether he fights him or not."

Jones said he signed with Curley because Curley guaranteed forty-five per cent. of the gross receipts and 51 per cent. of the moving picture proceeds. Curley guaranteed \$32,500 as Willard's share.

"Rickard and McCracken," said Jones, "refused to make any percentage arrangement. The guarantee is not the big thing in the fight. I expect Willard's share under the percentage arrangement to exceed \$32,500.

"Moran can sign the articles with

Kelley, Blackmar
Lewis, Lamoureux, Pickett
Guards.

Backets—Downer 9, Crane 2, Kelley 3, Pickett 8, Lewis 4, Comins 4, Stevens 3, Gates. Goals from fouls—Downer 3.

Windam Alumni Here Saturday.

A basketball team made up of Windham High graduates will play the Y. M. C. A. five in the local gym Saturday evening. The Y. M. C. A. will use the following in their lineup: Belair and Stanley, forwards; Peole and Graham guards, Houlihan center.

pretary Farrell of National Com-mission Names Players Released by

league is concerned. Secretary Farrell says:

"It is the ruling that every National association player released outright by the Federal league, as shown by the appended list, shall automatically revert to the National association club entitled to his services when he left organized baseball.

"If the club holding title to the player's services when he left organized baseball does not desire to secure sald player's services, then such player shall be permitted to negotiate for his services with any other club.

"All players must be tendered contracts on or before March 1st."

The list follows:

D. L. Adams, William Adams, L. C. Allen, A. F. Boucher, L. Bonin, Robert Brown, L. E. Buffington, John W. Getes, M. Boucher, B. Baumgariner, A. Byrd, James Flock, H. F. Benton, H. F. Bradley, Chester M. Brandon, F. Blackburn, Charles A. Bender, W. S. Collins, Charles C. Carr, Fellx Chouinard, Jack Conway, Howard Cammitz, Cad Cole, M. Cueto, W. H. Chappelle, J. J. Cuthbert, Frank G. Delehanty, M. L. Dolan, C. C. Darringer, J. C. Delahanty, John Farrell, Max Fisk, Charles Flynn, Harry Gessler, John Grannon, G. H. Glazier, E. G. Gagnier, Art Griggs, I. B. Hogue, G. A. Hogan, Ben Harries, B. S. Houck, Edward Holly, E. J. Henderson, H. Hedgepeth, E. E. Hooper, Frank Harter, F. Jack-litsch, H. Juul, Davey Jones, J. J. Kerr, H. Keupper, John Kading, Fred Kommers, L. Kavanaugh, George R. Kulp, A. Kalser, E. Lango, Henry Law Frank Lobert, A. D. Lavigne, W. P. McGowan, R. J. McCommaughey, Thomas McGuire, James McDonough, J. J. Kathles, Earl Moore, George Mullen, Allen Morgan, J. E. Munsey, J. A. Mulvaney, R. Mattie, Hap Myers, J. A. Maxwell, Dan Murphy, M. Morrissey, F. M. Mackert, Leslie O'Neill, Bert Padfield, M. Packard, J. F. Potts, O. C. Poters, John M. Phillippl, N

WILLARD GUARANTEED \$60,000 FOR TWO FIGHTS IN NEW YORK.

Moran to Be His First Opponent-Bouts to Take Place in Madison Square Garden.

Chicago, Jan. 19.—Guarantees of \$60,000 to Jess Willard for two fights in Madison Square Garden, New York, and of \$20,000 to Frank Moran for two contests were announced here today by Jimmy Johnston, manager of the garden. He said he came here to see Promoter Jack Curiey, but had missed him. His announcement follows:

"I will guarantee Jess Willard \$50,000 for two fights, Moran to be his first opponent. Should Willard win ceclsively, I am to have the privilege of selecting his second opponent. I also will guarantee Frank Moran \$30,000 for two fights, the first to be with Willard, Moran to receive \$15,000 tor his end. If he should outpont Willard, I would select his second opponent."

MILWAUKEE TWIRLER

Slapnicka Gets \$500 for Winning 50 but apparently it has not made the desired headway in winning adherents to this excellent gridiron instructor." for Signing 1916 Contract.

WEEGHAM HAS \$500,000

READY FOR TAFT Formal Transfer of Cubs Will Take Place Today.

Chicago, Jan. 19.—The formal transfer of the Chicago National League baseball club from the own-ership of Charles P. Taft to Charles H. weegham will take place tomorrow at noon, President Weegham of the Chicago club said tonight.

Mr. Weegham said that the check of \$500,000 was ready for presentation to Charles Schmalstig, the representative of Mr. Taft, who arrived today. Mr. Schmalstig and Mr. Weegham tonight arranged minor details in regard to the transfer.

JOE STECHER MAKING NAME FOR HIMSELF.

Sensational Mat Artist Going at Great

Greton Invitation Accepted.

Stonington lodge, No. 36, L.O. O. P., met. Wednesday evening in Masonic temple. The second degree was worked on a class of five and several applications for membership were received. It was voted to accept an invitation of Fairview lodge, No. 101, L.O. C. F., of Groton, to be their guests on the evening of Jan. 31. A special car will take the lodge over to Groton.

Short Paragraphs.

Mr. and Mrs. William Parior have returned to Fisher's Island after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Chapman on West Mystle avenue.

Several from Mystle were in Wester-

visit.

Miss Joanna Burnett has returned to Brooklyn after a visit with Miss Edna Wheeler.

STAFFORD SPRINGS

Annual Meeting of Hospital Aid So-ciety—Funeral of Mrs. Mary Johnson Pinney—Officers of First National

Miss Mary E. Hogan, teacher in grade 1-B of the Springs school, has been unable to attend school for sev-eral days on account of an attack of eral days on account of an attack of grip.

Mr. and Mrs. William Yare of East Killingly are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Yare on High street.

Alfred Bidorini and Batista Piccin have made an application for a liquor license in the new Bidorini block on Main street.

Mrs. Florence Nelson and daughter of Brooklyn, N. Y., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grundy.

John Hodgson has recovered from an attack of grip and returned home from the hospital.

Officers of Hospital Aid Society.

At the annual meeting of the Hospital Aid society Tuesday afternoon the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Cyril Johnson; first vice president, Mrs. C. E. Butterfield; second vice president, Mrs. E. C. Pinney; third vice president, Mrs. E. K. Taft; treasurer, Mrs. H. R. Wightman; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Lewis McLaughlin; auditor, F. G. Sanford; ways and means committee, Mrs. C. B. Pinney, Mrs. H. G. Dunham, Mrs. A. A. West, Mrs. H. Pownall, Mrs. M. Roberts; house committee, Miss Holt, Mrs. Burdick, Mrs. Weston, Mrs. Cleveland, Mrs. Gordon; supply committee, Mrs. E. C. Pinney, Mrs. B. C. Thresher, Mrs. Beckwith and Mrs. Jubb.

Funeral of Mrs. Pinney.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Johnson Pinney was held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. David Bissett, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Charles H. Puffer of the Stafford Springs cemetery. The bearers were Fred G. Sanford, Richard M. Fisk, Henry Butterfield and Albert S. Pinne.

Concert and Dance.

ert and Dance. The Suwanee River quartette gave a very enjoyable concert in Memorial hall, Stafford Hollow, Wednesday evening. After the concert there was dancing, with music by Lynch's orchestra. The proceeds will be devoted to purchasing a musical instrument for the Pinney school.

Engagement Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Brown of the Hollow have announced the engagement of their daughter, Annie Bertha, to Frank B. Engley, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Engley.

Haroid E. Jones and family have moved from Edgewood street to one of the new concrete cottages on Keefe plains.

National Bank Annual Meeting.

The First National bank has elected the following officers: President, Christopher Allen; vice president, Freeman F. Patten; cashier, F. G. Sanford; assistant cashier, H. R. Wightman. The directors are Christopher Allen, Freeman F. Patten, F. G. Sanford, Edwin C. Pinney, George L. Dennis, Robert W. Smith, Willis H. Reed, M. F. Fairman, W. H. Hall.

There is a leak in the water main on River street and men have been at work for the past two days trying to locate it. The ground was frozen so hard that it was necessary to use dynamite before the pipe could be reached.

Miss Hazel Comins has returned from a brief visit with friends in Hartford. National Bank Annual Meeting.

LEGAL NOTICES

AT A COURT OF PROBATE HELD at Norwich, within and for the District of Norwich, within and for the District of Norwich, on the 19th day of January, A. D. 1916.

Present—NELSON J. AYLING, Judge. Estate of Herbert S. Young, late of Norwich, in said District, deceased.

Louise J. W. Young of Norwich.

Conn., appeared in Court and filed a petition praying, for the reasons therein set forth, that an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased be admitted to probate.

Whereupon, It is Ordered, That said petition be heard and determined at the Probate Court Room in the City of Norwich, in said District, on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1916, at 11 o'clock in the forencon, and that notice of the pendency of said petition, and of gaid hearing thereon, be given by the publication of this order one time in some newspaper having a circulation in said District, at least three days prior to the date of said hearing, and that return be made to this Court.

NELSON J. AYLING, Judge.

The above and foregoing is a true copy of record.

Attest: FANNIE C. CHURCH.

AT & COURT OF PROBATE HELD.

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AT a COURT OF PROBATE HELD at Norwich, within and for the District of Norwich, on the 19th day of January, A. D. 1916.

Present—NELSON J. AYLING, Judge. Estate of Philip Ensiling, iste of Norwich, in said District, deceased.

Mattida W. Burton of Norwich, Conn., appeared in Court and filed a petition praying, for the reasons therein set forth, that administration be granted on the estate of said decemsed, alleged to be intestate.

Whereupon, it is Ordered, That said petition be heard and determined at the Probate Court Room in the City of Norwich, in said District on the 25th day of January, A. D. 1918, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, and that notice of the pendency of said petition, and of said hearing thereon, be given by the publication of this order one time in some newspaper having a circulation in said District, at least three days prior to the date of said hearing, and that return be made to this Court.

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Attest: FANNIE C. CHURCH, Jan204

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LEGAL NOTICES

Notice to Personal Taxpayers

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to pay the Personal Tax in the Town of Sprague that I have a warrant to levy and collect the Personal Taxes payable Feb. lat, 1916, each of such persons being assessed the sum of two dollars as his Personal Tax, and for the purpose of collecting the same I shall be at the Town Hall building, in Baltic, every Tuesday and Estarday during the month of February, from a to 4 p. m., and from 6 to 8 p. m. On Wednesday, Feb. Ed. I will be at the store of Webster Standish, in Hanover, from 11 a. m. to 1 p. m. On Thursday, Feb. 3d, I will be at the store of Webster Standish, in Hanover, from 11 a. m. to 1 p. m. On Thursday, Feb. 3d, I will be at the store of John Quinn, in Versailles, from 11 a. m. to 1 p. m. Personal Taxes will be received on the dates mentioned above for the different sections of the Town, and at any other time I can be found at 78 Main street, Baltic.

All persons neglecting this notice must be proceeded against as directed by the laws of this State.

Dated at Sprague, Conn., Jan. 18th, 1916.

JAMES M'GUIRE, Collector.

NOTICE

The Board of Relief of the Town of Preston, Conn., will meet at the Town House in the Town of Preston on Tuesday, Feb. 1, 1916, at 16 clock a. m. and until 4 o'clock p. m.; will also be in session Feb. 10th and 21st, to hear appeals from the doings of the Assessors, and to transact any other business that may legally come before them. Dated at Preston, Conn., Jan. 18, 1916

PHILIP O. TERRINGTON, WILLIAM P. MITCHELL, EARL BENNETT, Board of Relief.

NOTICE

e Board of Relief of the Town of and will meet at the Town Clerk's e in said Town on Tuesday, Feb. 1, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. to hear sis from the doings — the Asors, and attend to any other busithat may legally come before saiding. Adjourned meetings will be as law requires ld as law requires. Dated in Ledyard, Jan. 19, 1916.

GEORGE W. PALMER, ENOS M. GRAY, Board of Relief.

The Board of Relief of the Town of Boarsh will meet in the Town Hall in the Town of Boarsh Feb. 1st, 1916, from 10.30 a. m. until 3.30 p. m., also Feb. 8th and Feb. 22d, at the same place and hours, to hear appeals from the doings of the Assessors, and to do any business that may legally come before them.

Dated at Boarsh, Conn., Jan. 18th, 1916.

FRANK A. TRACK FRANK A. TRACY.

WILLIAM KILROY. W. M. TIBBITS, jan20ThSTu

To Whom It May Concern

The interest of George H. Roberts, in the candy, ice cream and confectionery business at No. 132 Main street, in the City of Norwich, has this day been purchased by S. F. Peterson of New London, who will pay and discharge all debts as agreed.

All persons who are indebted to the said George H. Roberts or to the "Candy Shop," will please pay same to S. F. Peterson.

Dated at Norwich, Connecticut, this 19th day of January, 1915.

Janzod G. H. ROBERTS.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

AT A COURT OF PROBATE HELD at Norwich, within and for the District of Norwich, within and for the District, A. D. 1916.

Present—NELSON J. AYLING, Judge. Estate of Frank A. Robinson, late of Norwich, in said District, deceased.

Ordered, That the Executrix cite he creditors of said deceased to bring in their claims against said estate within six months from this date by posting a notice to that effect, together with a copy of this order, on the sign-post nearest to the place where said deceased last dwelt, and in the same Town, and by publishing the same Town, and by publishing the same tonce in a newspaper having a circulation in said District, and make return to this Court.

The above and foregoing is a true copy of record.

Attest: HELEN M. DRESCHER, Assistant Clerk. NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE.—All creditors of said deceased are hereby notified to present their claims against said exists to the undersigned at 58 Sachem St., Norwich, Conn., within the time limited in the above and foregoing order.

BLIZABETH C. ROBINSON, jan20d Executrix.

STATE OF CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT of North Stonington, ss. Probate Court, Jan. 17th, A. D. 1916.
Estate of Elien R. Wheeler, late of North Stonington, in said District, decreased. North Stonington, in said District, deceased.

Upon application praying that an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased be admitted to probate as per application on file more fully appears, it is

Ordered. That said application be heard and determined at the Probate Office in North Stonington, in said District, on the 25th day of January, A. D. 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forencon, and that notice thereof be given to all persons known to be interested in said estate to appear, if they see cause, at said time and place, and be heard thereon, by publishing in some newspaper having a droulation, in said District, and by mailing in registered letters addressed to each of the persons named in said will a copy of this order all at least five days before said day of hearing, and return of notice giver be made to this Court.

Attest: CHARLES C. GRAY, Judge.

Attest: CHARLES C. GRAY, jan20d Judge.

AT A COURT OF PROBATE HELD at Norwich, within and for the District of Norwich, on the 18th day of January, A. D. 1916.

Present—NELSON J. AYLING, Judge Estate of Mercy A. Hewitt, late of Preston, in said District, deceased. Eunice H. Latham of Norwich, Conn. appeared in Court and flied a petition praving, for the reasons therein set forth, that administration be granted upon the estate of said deceased, alleged to be intestate.

Whereupon, It is Ordered. That mid petition be heard and determined at the Probate Court Room in the City of Norwich, in said District, on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1916, at 14 o'clock in the forenoon, and that notice of the pendency of said petition, and of said hearing thereon, be given by the publication of this order one time in some newspaper having a circulation in said District, at least three days prior to the date of said hearing, and that return be made to this Court.

NELSON J. AYLING, Judge.

The above and foregoing is a truscopy of record.

Attest: FANNIE C. CHURCH, jan20d

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New York, Jan. 19.—Trading during today's feverish session was marked by a series of advances and declines in some of the more familiar specialties, while standard or seasoned stocks maintained all of their recent heaviness. Affairs in Europe and Mexico furnished the aggressive short interest with fresh ammunition, shares of some of the companies operating in the southern republic being again the object of severe attacks. Trading was

object of severe attacks. Trading was only moderate, except during the first and last hours, the interval being punctuated by frequent periods of extreme duliness. A very large part of the business was again limited to specialties in which public interest has lated

rossion College at Hanover; 20, 17. Tebanen Valley College at Hanover; 20, 17. Tebanen Valley College at Hanover; 24. Massachusetta Agricultural College at Hanover; 25. Princeton; Nov. 4, Syracuses at Spring-Beld; 11. Pennsylvania at Philadelphia; 18. West Virginia at Hanover.

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COTTON.

New York, Jan 19.—Call money steady; high 2; low 1 3-6; rolling rate 2; last loan 2; closing bid 1 3-4; of-fered at 2.

New York, Jan. 19.—Cotton futures closed easy. January, 12.25; March, 12.37; May, 12.58; July, 12.73; October, 12.70. Spot quiet; middling 12.40.

arranged minor details in regard to the transfer.

A meeting of the stockholders of the combined Chicago Federals and Chicago Nationals was held tonight, at which Harry Ackerland, who holds some stock in the old Cubs, said he did not want to sell his stock and that he would become a member of the new corporation.

George Westerville, third baseman and William R. Jackson, first baseman of the Chicago Federals, today were released by President Weeghman of the Chicago Nationals to the St. Joseph, Mo., team of the Western league. Rate.

Greater than Frank Gotch?

Many people think so. And maybe they are right. Anyway, Joe Stecher, the sensational new world's champion wrestler, whom Ed Reliey is taking to Hartford to display his wares for the first time in the east at Foot Guard hall, Jan. 19, is entitled to all the wrestling honers that Gotch didn't carry into retirement. This 23 years old boy, whom the press of the United States designate as "the Nebraska Boy in the overalls," because he was born in Nebraska, and is usually found wearing overalls on his own ranch, when not engaged in professional wrestling, is easily the most startling thing ever developed in the mat game. A year ago—unknown; today, generally recognized all over the country as the champion catch as catch can grappler.

Stecher is a real honest by see

Stecher has not as yet attained his full growth and development. He is of German-Hungarian extraction, but was born in the United States. His father is a small man and not at all inclined to athletics. In fact, the elder Stecher was so infuriated when he learned that his son participated in a wrestling match at the county fair that he promptly banned all wrestling conversation from the house forever, by gum! And it still goes, too, although the old man consented to witness the bout between his son and Cutlier, and last week when Stecher left home to make his first trip east his father accompanied him to the railroad station and after the train bearing the new champion pulled out Pop Stecher turned to the crowd of newapaper men present and said:

"My boy Joey will make those fellows in the east step pretty lively."

The only form of exercise ever indulged in by Stecher is his usual farm work. He is the owner of a large ranch and success hasn't made a single change around the old place. Joe does his regular work when home, just the same as ever, and he is still "the boy in the overalis" to the ranchmen with whom he has associated since childhood. But there has been a great change come over the farmers around Dodge. They are wild over Stecher and are wearing a little scissors on their coat lapels with the insignia "Stick to Stecher." They are wild over Stecher and are wearing a little scissors on their coat lapels with the insignia "Stick to Stecher." They are wild over stecher and are wearing a little scissors on their coat lapels with the insignia "Stick to Stecher." They are wild over stecher and are wearing and Stecher-Cutler bouts were particularly a harvest time for them.

Stecher's opponent in Hartford will be Wilhelm Berner, the German champion, and one of the fastest men in the world at the catch as catch can game. He has to his credit draws with Wiadek Zbyszko and Dr. Roller, and chould make an ideal opponent for Stecher because of his speed, science and strength.

WILLIAMS WANTED AS COACH.

"Fair Play" Comments on Yale Foot ball Situation. will be. I understand that the man Yale really wants is Dr. H. L. Willams of Minnesota, and that he would have been named and would have accepted the post had there been a vacancy in the teaching staff of the Yale Medical school. Dr. Williams is an instructor in the medical department of the University of Minnesota, and cannot be tempted to relinquish a congential berth unless Yale offers him one equally as good. This Yale might like to do, but apparently the way is not clear, unfortunately, and it seems assured that unless something can be done the famous Minnesota coach will remain in the west. wirler
RECEIVES BONUS
Sota coach will remain in the west.
The impression is that Tad Jones has been a strong second choice. Foster
Sanford is backed by an ardent clique,

Milwaukee Wis., Jan. 19.—Pitcher Cyril Slapnicka of the Milwaukee American Association baseball team today was paid a bonus of \$500 for winning fifty per cent. of his games in 1915. He was also given \$100 for signing a 1916 contract.

Last fall the management refused to pay the player the bonus, declaring he had not pitched and won the required fifty per cent. of his games. Slapnicka averred that he was not permitted to pitch in his turn when he might have done so, with the possibility of winningp. The courts sustained him in a suit.

Kentucky Futurity at \$21,000.

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U. of W. Fails to Select Football Coach
Madison, Wis., Jan. 19.—The board
of regents of the University of Wisconsin this afternoon declined to make
any selection of a football coach. Dr.
Paul Withington of Boston, a Harva'd
gracuate, has been recommended by
the athletic council. The regents appointed a committee to investigate the
athletic situation further.

Shakleford Turned Back by White Sox Shakleford Turned Back by White Sox Chicago, Jan. 19.—Announcement was made today that Jack Shakleford, pitcher for the Chicago Americans, had been turned back to the Milyaukee club with which he played last season. "Too many pitchers; that's the reason for letting the youngster go," said Secretary Grabiner.

Tigers Defeat Yale on los New York, Jan. 12.—Princeton defeated Yale at hockey here tonight 2 to I. Neither team scored in the first period. Cushman scored for Princeton early in the second period. Burgess soon tied the score for Yale but Peacock of Princeton succeeded in netting the deciding goal.

Aetna alleys are: Elks vs. K. of C. Moose vs. Owls.

Fraternal Bowling League.

MYSTIC Deputy Lester Installs Officers Surprise Visit to Mrs. Thomas P. Wilcox-Odd Fellows Accept Groton

Tuesday evening in G. A. R. hall, in the presence of the members of the W. R. C. and Williams post, Sons of Veterans and Daughters of Veterans, the following officers were installed by the deputy, Mrs. Flora G. Lester, of New London: President, Mrs. Fannie Packer: senior vice president; Mrs. Lucy Spicer Ward; junior vice president, Mrs. Lucy Packer Lewis; chaplain, Mrs. Augusta Cutier; secretary, Mrs. Louisa Lamb; treasurer, Mrs. Louisa Lamb; treasurer, Mrs. Louisa K. Tufts; conductor, Miss Eleanor Lewis; guard, Mrs. Jane Chapman; assistant conductor, Mrs. Leah Lamphere; assistant guard, Mrs. Mary Hollday; organist, Mrs. Georgians Woodmansee; first color bearer, Miss Carrie Chapman; accord color bearer, Mrs. Capitola Wilcox; third color bearer, Mrs. Capitola Wilcox; third color bearer, Mrs. Margaret Ripple; fourth color bearer, Mrs. Margaret Ripple; fourth color bearer, Mrs. Alice Sherhume. After the meeting a supper was served and a social time enjoyed.

Surprise Visit and Gift.

Mrs. Thomas P. Wilcox was given a surprise party at her home on Quiambaug road, about one mile north of the trolley, at Miner's Corners, Tuesday levening, when about 30 friends, the members of the Rebekah Sewing society and their men friends, paid her a call. Games were played and musical selections were rendered. A fine supper was sarved. During the even-

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